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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	Pierre MARRACCINI <i>et al.</i>	Confirmation No.:	4965
Application No:	09/850,982	Group Art Unit:	1638
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For:	COFFEE MANNANASE	Attorney Docket No.:	88265-4025

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Sir:

In response to Office Action mailed August 27, 2003, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for entry into the above-identified application. A petition to extend the time for responding, with fee authorization, is also submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

No fees for the claim amendments made herein are believed due for this submission. Should any fee be required, however, please charge such fee to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.